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Applic	Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information						
1.	This is a FIRST submission of items co	ncerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.					
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5. 🗶	A copy of the International Application a. is attached hereto (required or	as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) ally if not communicated by the Internation	al Bureau).				
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8	An English language translation of the a	mendments to the claims under PCT Artic	le 19 (33 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).				
9. 🗶	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s)) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).					
10.	An English lanugage translation of the a Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	nnexes of the International Preliminary Ex	camination Report under PCT				
Iten	ns 11 to 20 below concern document(s)	or information included:					
II. 🔲	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.					
12.	An assignment document for recording	g. A separate cover sheet in compliance v	vith 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.				
13. 🔲	A FIRST preliminary amendment.	•					
14. 🔲	A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT prelin	minary amendment.					
15. 🔲	A substitute specification.						
16.	A change of power of attorney and/or	address letter.					
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequ	ence listing in accordance with PCT Rule	13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.				
18.	A second copy of the published interna	ational application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d))(4).				
19. 🔲	A second copy of the English languag	e translation of the international application	on under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).				
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NOTE: Where an appropriate time limit under 37 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive (3 1.137 (a) or (b)) must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status. SEND ALL CORRESPONDENCE TO: Proskauer Rose LLP Patent Dept. Charles Guttman						W		
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as an Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495):

- U.S. Basic National Fees
- Copy of IPE Report
- · Copy of references cited in ISR
- Copy of the International Application
- Copy of the International Search Report
- Information Disclosure Statements
- Preliminary Amendments

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the
application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 22 or 32 MONTHS (where 37 CFR 1.495 applies) FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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